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ANNUAL REPORTS
of the
Town of Raymond
NEW HAMPSHIRE



For the Year Ending
January 31, 1919

Town of Raymond

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER

AND ALL OTHER

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1919

MANCHESTER, N. H.

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TOWN OFFICERS.

Moderator.

WALTER J. DUDLEY.

Town Clerk.

GEORGE W. PURINTON.

Town Treasurer.

CHARLES POORE.

Selectmen.

PLUMMER B. CORSON.

WILL B. GILE.

CHARLES F. GILE.

Collector of Taxes.

ANDREW C. SMITH.

Representative to the General Court.

SHERBURNE GOVE.

School Board.

EDWARD W. SMITH.

CECIL D. MEADE.

LEWIS O. POLLARD.

Water Commissioners.

JOSEPH C. COLCORD.

J. WESLEY DODGE.

Board of Health.

GEORGE H. GUPTILL, M. D.

*Supervisors of the Check List.*LLEWELLYN GOVE. RALPH H. SANBORN.
FRANK H. WHITING.*Auditors.*

CHARLES SCRIBNER. HORACE WHITTIER.

*Highway Agents.*CHARLES DEARBORN. WESLEY HODGDON.
EZRA DOWNING. CHARLES F. GILE.*Library Trustees.*W. J. DUDLEY. CHARLES POORE.
DR. L. O. POLLARD.*Chief of Police.*

E. B. GREENLEAF.

Chief of Fire Department.

JOSEPH BLAKE.

Superintendent of Schools.

ALBERT T. LANE.

Town Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Raymond, in the County of Rockingham, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Odd Fellows hall in said Raymond on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriations of the same as follows: For maintenance of the poor, for support of schools, for laying out and repairing highways, and building bridges and repairing same and for all other charges arising within the town.

3. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay the fire company.

4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for Memorial Day purposes.

5. To see if the town will vote to make a discount of three per cent on all taxes paid on or before June 15, 1919.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise the amount of money for highways necessary to obtain the maximum amount of state aid.

7. To see if the town will vote to accept the trusts imposed upon it by the will of Nathan G. T. Goodrich, late of Nottingham, N. H., which will was probated July 8, 1884, in the Court of Probate for Rockingham County.

8. To transact such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and nineteen.

PLUMMER B. CORSON,
WILL B. GILE,
CHARLES F. GILE,

Selectmen of Raymond.

Valuations and Appropriations

VALUATIONS.

Number of polls, 325.	
Horses, 177	\$19,100.00
✓ Oxen, 2	250.00
Cows, 214	12,795.00
Other neat stock, 53	2,345.00
Hogs, 4	125.00
Fowls, 330	460.00
Carriages (automobiles), 56	18,750.00
Sheep, 3	9.00
Portable mills, 6	525.00
Wood and lumber	31,500.00
Money on hand	1,118.00
Stock in trade	65,065.00
Mills and machinery	4,800.00
Real estate	661,006.00
	\$817,846.00

APPROPRIATIONS, 1918.

Salaries of officers	\$500.00
Plaistow and Raymond road	1,147.50
Trunk line	2,064.54
Highways	1,000.00
Election expenses	100.00
Police department	250.00
Fire department	235.00
Street lights	1,000.00
State tax	1,704.00

County tax	\$2,212.19
Library	350.00
Charities	75.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Interest	1,200.00
Schools	9,000.00
Health and Sanitation	100.00
	\$20,988.23

Selectmen's Report

RECEIPTS.

From State:

Insurance tax	\$6.75
Railroad tax	327.51
Literary fund	118.95
Education	728.00
Savings bank tax	2,586.82
Fighting forest fires	120.31
	\$3,888.34

For Highways:

Trunk line maintenance and Raymond and Plaistow state road	2,759.56
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From County:

For support of poor—

For support of soldiers	316.99
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From local sources except taxes:

Dog licenses	\$151.80
All other licenses and permits:	
2 junk licenses at \$10.00	20.00
Pool table, Samuel Bishop	20.00
Pool, table, Ralph Sanborn	5.00
	196.80

Cemetery Lots.

Cemetery lot:

Irvin L. Bartlett	\$10.00
Clarence W. Burnham	10.00
Harold E. Sanborn	10.00

Albert F. Elliott	\$10.00	
Ed. Rogers	10.00	
Albert L. Fieldsend	10.00	
Mrs. Horace W. Tuttle	10.00	
		70.00
Police fines		15.00

All Other Receipts.

Temporary loans:

W. B. Gile	\$1,500.00	
P. B. Corson	1,000.00	
Old stringers and plank	5.00	
		2,505.00
		\$9,751.69

PAYMENTS.

Current maintenance expense, general
government:

Selectman P. B. Corson	\$126.00	
Selectman W. B. Gile	108.00	
Selectman C. F. Gile	85.00	
Collector Andrew C. Smith	150.00	
Clerk Geo. W. Purinton	35.00	
Treasurer Charles Poore	54.90	
Auditor Horace Whittier	2.00	
Auditor Charles Scribner, 1917-18	6.00	
		\$566.90

Expense Account.

Printing town reports, J. B. Clarke Co.	\$62.25
Binding record book, J. B. Clarke Co.	2.00
John Templeton, printing signs	2.25
W. B. Gile, postage and express	3.85

J. W. Dodge, on school law suit	\$47.57	
David Griffin, sawing wood	1.50	
W. J. Dudley, 1 cord wood	8.00	
Star Stamp Co., stamp	.95	
Lighting public clock	12.50	
W. J. Dudley, collector's bond	12.00	
Emile Wason, labor on common	20.50	
L. J. Holt, labor on booths	2.00	
Charles Baker, 9 feet wood	4.50	
Herbert Garland, dinners at election	1.80	
E. C. Eastman, stationery	1.02	
W. B. Gile, sawing and housing wood	1.95	
J. B. Clarke Co., printing check list	20.00	
E. T. Brown, curtains for booths ..	1.12	
W. J. Dudley, 1 cord wood	8.00	
G. W. Purinton, dog book	1.50	
Andrew C. Smith, discount on taxes	243.00	
Andrew C. Smith, expenses as collector	20.00	
W. G. Brown, two trips to Manchester to get check list printed	10.00	
Use of I. O. O. F. hall	12.00	
S. B. Gibson, guide boards	5.00	
E. C. Eastman's collector's book ..	5.65	
Lighting and repairing public clock..	6.25	
		517.16

HEALTH AND SANITATION.

G. H. Guptill, services and expense as health officer	24.00
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PATRIOTIC PURPOSES.

Memorial Day:

G. A. R., Charles Poore, treasurer	\$50.00	
Groceries, Blake Bros.	79.50	
		129.50

VITAL STATISTICS.

Recording births and deaths, Geo. H.		
Guptill, M. D.	\$10.25	
Recording deaths, Dr. Crowell	.50	
Recording marriages, G. H. Purinton	15.75	
		\$26.50

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY.

Police department:

E. B. Greenleaf		172.91
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Fire department:

Salaries of firemen	\$235.00	
J. A. Blake, supplies	47.41	
Expense of new fire alarm	58.48	
		340.89

Forest Fires, G. E. McClure, Warden:

G. F. Healey, fire	\$14.00	
A. D. Clark, fire	28.60	
Wallace, fire	10.70	
John Walker, fire	103.04	
Fremont, fire	24.10	
Scribner, fire	4.90	
		185.94

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Highway maintenance, town:

Wesley Hodgdon	\$275.00	
Charles F. Gile	210.20	
Charles Dearborn	386.27	
Ezra Downing	419.10	
J. W. Harriman, balance of 1917	40.50	
W. J. Dudley	7.20	
N. E. Culvert Co., steel culvert ..	22.00	
Isaac Grout	2.75	
		1,363.02

TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE.

Patrolman Geo. L. Brown	\$647.39	
B. E. Davis, new construction	1,502.30	
B. E. Davis, trunk line maintenance	2,727.04	
F. P. Corson, work on state road, 1917	26.40	
		\$4,903.13

STREET LIGHTING.

Street lights, Raymond Electric Co.	\$1,000.00	
Installing new light	34.46	
		1,034.46

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES OWNED BY
TOWN.

Water system:

Water commissioners	1,570.90
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TEMPORARY LOANS AND INTEREST.

Note and interest, Amoskeag Bank.	\$2,013.61	
Interest on note:		
Amoskeag Bank	100.00	
P. B. Corson	197.50	
Interest and note, P. B. Corson ...	1,038.61	
Interest on note, G. E. Gile	75.00	
Interest on coupons, Chas. Poore ..	986.00	
		4,410.72

PINE GROVE CEMETERY.

Labor:

Jerry Jones	\$22.00	
W. B. Gile	2.25	
		24.25

SNOW BILLS.

Charles Dearborn, agent	\$102.37	
J. W. Harriman, agent	183.00	
Frank Corson, agent	23.25	
G. L. Brown, sidewalks	12.25	
E. Houle	27.70	
W. G. Brown, agent	41.50	
J. E. Prescott	24.40	
Andrew Smith	2.00	
E. H. Poore	5.00	
		\$421.47

EDUCATION — LIBRARIES.

Dudley-Tucker Library:

Trustees, Chas. Poore, treasurer..	350.00
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CHARITIES.

Town poor:

Care of 40 tramps, E. B. Greenleaf	\$6.00	
Belnap county commissioners aid to Clara Gannon	85.50	
J. C. Langford, auto trip to Con- cord, to insane asylum	15.00	
		106.50

County poor:

Supplies, Julia Tilton	\$118.99
Supplies for Mrs. C. St. John, of Albert Elliott	22.50
Blake Bros., supplies for George Robinson	53.00
W. H. Bailey, supplies for Will Allen	4.00
W. H. Bailey, supplies for Eva Manassis	12.00
Levi Allen, board of Ann Whittier	10.00

Moulton Bros., wood for Eva	
Manissis	\$5.00
Jerry Jones, digging grave of	
Stackhouse girl	4.00
P. B. Corson, wood for Will Allen	5.00
P. B. Corson, wood for George	
Robinson	7.00
	\$241.49

PAYMENT TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS.

Taxes paid to state:

State tax, John W. Plummer,	
treasurer	\$1,704.00

Taxes paid to county:

County tax, Stewart Rowe, treas-	
urer	2,212.19

Payment to school district:

School money, Chas. Poore, treas-	
urer	8,844.75
	12,760.94

ABATEMENTS.

C. W. Scribner, highway	\$2.90
Mark Scribner, highway	4.25
A. C. Smith, on Jackson place	29.00
A. C. Smith, on polls	20.00
Geo. F. Whittier, overtaxed	1.25
Horace Tuttle, loss of horse	1.25
E. S. Healey, loss of horse	1.25
Narah Dearborn, loss of ox	3.13
A. E. Lawrence, watering trough ..	3.00
	66.03

DAMAGE BY DOGS.

Moses Counter, fowls	4.00
Grand total	\$29,314.21

STATE HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE.

Trunk line maintenance:

State contribution	\$3,444.20	
Town contribution	2,250.00	
		\$5,694.20
State disbursement	\$3,442.47	
Town disbursement	2,250.00	
		5,692.47

Balance in state treasury	\$1.73
Balance in town treasury	0.00

Trunk line construction:

State contribution	\$1,147.50	
Town contribution	1,147.50	
		\$2,295.00
State disbursement	\$756.75	
Town disbursement	756.75	
		1,513.50
Balance in state treasury	\$390.75	
Balance in town treasury	390.75	
		781.50

RECEIPTS.

Property and poll taxes, current year \$21,434.84

From state:

Insurance tax	\$6.75	
Railroad tax	327.51	
Literary fund	118.95	
Savings bank tax	2,586.82	
For education	728.00	
Fighting forest fires	120.31	
Trunk line maintenance	2,759.56	
		6,647.90

From county:

For support of poor and soldiers 316.99

From local sources, except taxes:

Dog licenses	\$151.80	
All other licenses and permits	45.00	
Received from water system	2,225.23	
Cemeteries	70.00	
Fines and forfeits	15.00	
Interest on deposits	56.32	
		\$2,563.35

All other receipts:

Temporary loans	\$2,500.00	
Old stringers and planks	5.00	
		2,505.00

Total receipts	\$33,468.08
Cash on hand at beginning of year..	3,532.83

Grand total	\$37,000.91
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PAYMENTS.

Current maintenance expense—General government:

Salaries of town officers	\$566.90	
Election and registration expenses	93.50	
		\$660.40

Protection of persons and property:

Police department	\$172.91	
Fire department	526.83	
		699.74

Health and sanitation:

Health department	\$24.00	
Vital statistics	26.50	
		50.50

Highways and bridges:

Highways, town account	\$1,363.02	
Highways, trunk line	4,903.13	
Street lighting	1,034.46	
Snow bills	421.47	
		7,722.02

Education:		
Libraries		\$350.00
Charities:		
Town poor	\$106.50	
County poor	241.49	
		347.99
Patriotic purposes:		
Memorial Day	\$50.00	
Soldiers' benefits	79.50	
		129.50
Public service enterprises owned by town:		
Water supply system	\$1,570.90	
Cemeteries	24.25	
		1,595.15
Temporary loans and interest:		
Paid notes and interest	\$3,424.72	
Paid interest on bonded debt	986.00	
		4,410.72
Payments to other governmental divisions:		
Taxes paid to state	\$1,704.00	
Taxes paid to county	2,212.19	
Payments to school district	8,844.75	
		12,760.94
All other payments		587.19
Total payments for all purposes		\$29,314.21
Cash on hand at beginning of year ..		7,686.70
Grand total		\$37,000.91

ASSETS.

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$7,686.70
Due from:	
State, forest fires	5.35
State, joint highway fund	345.55
State, water takers	210.00

Pine Grave cemetery	\$30.00
John Prescott, pool table license ..	3.67
Mr Anderson, old plank	15.00
Trustees of public funds	24.25
	\$8,320.52

LIABILITIES.

Due to schools	\$2,500.00
Notes outstanding:	
G. E. Gile	\$1,500.00
W. B. Gile	1,500.00
P. B. Corson	3,950.00
	6,950.00
Bonds outstanding:	
Water bonds	\$20,300.00
Bridge bonds	5,100.00
	25,400.00
Total liabilities	\$34,850.00
Total assets	8,320.52
Net debt	\$26,529.48

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY.

Library land and building	\$4,500.00
Furniture and equipment	300.00

DEPARTMENT PROPERTY.

Fire department:	
Land and building	800 00
Apparatus	600.00
Highway department equipment	200.00
Parks	2,000.00
Water supply system	40,000.00

All other property and equipment:

Pine Grove cemetery	\$500.00
Pine Grove cemetery equipment	200.00

Total valuation \$49,100.00

PLUMMER B. CORSON,
WILL B. GILE,
CHARLES F. GILE,

Selectmen of Raymond.

We, the undersigned, auditors of the town of Raymond, have examined the accounts of the selectmen for the year ending January 31, 1919, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CHARLES W. SCRIBNER,
HORACE L. WHITTIER,

Auditors.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

January 31, 1919, cash on hand \$3,532.83

Received of:

Selectmen	9,751.69
Water department	2,225.23
A. C. Smith, collector	21,434.84
Amoskeag National Bank, deposit	56.32
	\$37,000.91

Expenditures.

Town charges, including election and registration expenses	\$1,228.06
County aid to poor	241.49
County aid to soldiers	79.50
Town aid to poor	100.50
Water department	1,570.90

Highways	\$1,363.02	
Snow bills	421.47	
Abatements	66.03	
Street lights	1,034.46	
Police department	172.91	
Pine Grove cemetery	24.25	
Dudley Tucker library	350.00	
Memorial fund, G. A. R.	50.00	
Schools	8,844.75	
Charity	6.00	
County tax	2,212.19	
State tax	1,704.00	
Fire company	340.89	
Damage by dogs	4.00	
Notes and interest	4,410.72	
State highway	26.40	
Trunk line	4,876.73	
Forest fires	185.94	
		\$29,314.21
Cash on hand to balance		7,686.70
		\$37,000.91

CHARLES POORE,

Treasurer.

We, the undersigned, auditors of the town of Raymond for the year ending January 31, 1919, have examined the accounts of Charles Poore, town treasurer, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CHARLES W. SCRIBNER,
HORACE L. WHITTIER,

Auditors.

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC FUNDS.

Trust funds held by the town, February 15, 1918.

Pine Grove cemetery funds	\$2,450.00
Lane cemetery fund	50.00
Judge John Dudley cemetery fund	50.00

Total	\$2,550.00
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Received by the Trustees during the year 1918,
to be applied to the Pine Grove cemetery
funds:

From the Estate of Carl J. Whiting	\$200.00
Deposited in the Amoskeag Savings Bank	\$200.00
Total amount of public funds held in trust by the town January 31, 1919	\$2,750.00

WALTER J. DUDLEY,
MARK SCRIBNER,

Trustees.

We, the undersigned auditors, have examined the accounts of the trustees of the public funds for the year ending January 31, 1918, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CHARLES W. SCRIBNER,
HORACE L. WHITTIER,

Auditors.

DUDLEY TUCKER LIBRARY.

Receipts.

1918.

Feb. 15.	Cash on hand	\$118.60
Oct. 11.	Cash from town	100.00
June 29.	Cash from town	100.00
Nov. 30.	Cash from town	100.00

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Jan. 31.	Cash from town	50.00
	Overtime on books	8.26

\$476.86

Expenditures.

1918.

Mar.	1.	Raymond Electric Co. (February) ..	\$1.28
		Edith L. Bartlett, (Jan. and Feb.) .	25.00
	23.	D. J. Baker, in part	15.00
Apr.	9.	Library Bureau, Boston	1.70
	15.	M. P. Goodman, books	24.64
	1.	Raymond Electric Co. (March) ...	1.44
May	1.	Edith L. Bartlett, librarian	25.00
		Raymond Electric Co. (April)	1.12
	9.	D. J. Baker, balance	10.00
June	1.	Raymond Electric Co. (May)	1.00
	20.	E. T. Brown, coal in March	9.50
	29.	Edith L. Bartlett, librarian	25.00
July	1.	Raymond Electric Co. (June)	1.00
	16.	J. W. Dodge	2.25
Aug.	1.	Raymond Electric Co. (July)	1.00
Sept.	2.	Mabel Chamberlain, librarian	25.00
		Raymond Electric Co. (August)	1.44
	21.	Mabel Chamberlain	6.25
Oct.	1.	Raymond Electric Co. (September)	1.28
	14.	E. T. Brown, coal	34.65
Nov.		Edith L. Tilton, librarian	25.00
	1.	Raymond Electric Co. (October) ..	1.00
Dec.	12.	Raymond Electric Co. (November)	1.44

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Jan.	1.	Raymond Electric Co. (December) .	1.44
		Edith L. Tilton, librarian	25.00
	21.	E. T. Brown, coal	30.08
	31.	Chas. Poore, services and expense ..	3.08
		Raymond Electric Co. (January) ..	1.60

 \$302.19

Cash to balance	174.67
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 \$476.86

CHARLES POORE,

Treasurer.

We, the undersigned, auditors of Raymond for the year ending January 31, 1919, have examined the accounts of Charles Poore, treasurer of Dudley Tucker Library and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

C. W. SCRIBNER,

H. L. WHITTIER,

Auditors,

STATEMENT OF LIBRARIAN.

For the year ending January, 1919.

Total number of books in library	1,836
Total number of books loaned	5,987
Total number of books loaned, fiction	3,823
Total number of books loaned, juvenile	2,164
Total number of books presented	4
Total number of books list in circulation	3

EDITH L. TILTON,

Librarian.

REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS.

One service pipe has been added to the system during the year. The report shows a comparatively small amount of uncollected water bills, and this is available.

Many tenements have been vacant, which explains the decrease in the amount of water bills collected.

The amount paid for excess pumping is due to the fact that there were several bad leaks that could not be located as they did not show themselves above the surface.

It will be necessary to lay all new pipes in the cemetery this year, as the pipes are so badly rusted. The latter part of last year we had to shut off the water owing to the great number of leaks.

Arrangements have been made with the Worthington Pump Works to have the pump in the shoe factory repaired and placed in proper condition for pumping in case of serious need.

The list of bills approved and balance sheet follows:

BILLS APPROVED BY WATER COMMISSIONERS.

For year ending January 31, 1919.

Feb. 25.	John Templeton, 300 cards, notices to delinquents	\$1.50
	John B. Clarke Co., printing 500 water receipts	3.25
	Raymond Electric Co., pumping water for month of February ..	100.00
Mar. 30.	Raymond Electric Co., pumping water for month of March	100.00
	J. C. Colcord:	
	1 day labor on service pipe	\$3.00
	Cash paid P. J. Con-	
	don, for digging ...	3.00
	½ day labor on meters	1.50
	1 invoice book	2.50
		10.00
Apr. 27.	Worthington Pump & Machinery Corp., 26½ lbs. ¾ by 3.4 sq. flax packing	10.60
	Raymond Electric Co., pumping water for month of April	100.00
May 25.	J. C. Colcord:	
	Labor on pipe in cemetery	\$2.00
	Labor on meter and pipes	1.50
	Cash paid Frank Warren	1.00
	Cash paid Geo. McClure	1.00
		5.50
	Raymond Electric Co.:	
	Pumping water for month of May	100.00
	Pumping excess for April	7.60
June 29.	W. S. Darley & Co., 1 Sonoscope leak detector	3.90

June 29.	Raymond Electric Co.:		
	Pumping water for month of June	\$100.00	
	Pumping excess for May	38.00	
July 27.	J. C. Colcord:		
	2 days reading meters.	\$8.00	
	Time and expense to		
	Manchester	5.00	
	Express on pump parts	.47	
			13.47
	Worthington Pump and Machinery		
	Corp., supplies for 8 by 10 pump	38.88	
	Raymond Electric Co.:		
	Pumping water for month of July	100.00	
	Pumping excess for June	33.20	
	Manchester Machine Works, labor		
	on con. rod, 7½ hours	9.25	
Aug. 30.	Raymond Electric Co.:		
	Pumping for month of August ..	100.00	
	Pumping excess for July	40.40	
Sept. 28.	Raymond Electric Co.:		
	Pumping water for month of Sep-		
	tember	100.00	
	Pumping excess for August	44.40	
Oct. 26.	Raymond Electric Co., pumping		
	water for month of October ...	100.00	
Nov. 30.	Worthington Pump & Machinery		
	Corp., expenses of machinist		
	sent to overhaul and estimate the		
	amount of repairs on Duplex		
	Plunger pump	23.32	
	Raymond Electric Co., pumping		
	water for month of November .	100.00	
Dec. 28.	J. C. Colcord:		
	Collecting water bills	\$10.00	
	1 day labor on service		
	pipe	4.00	

Dec. 28.	Cash paid Alec Belisle, for labor	\$0.75	
			<u>\$14.75</u>
	Raymond Electric Co., pumping water for month of December .		100.00
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	J. W. Dodge, labor and supplies		38.83
Jan. 25.	Raymond Electric Co., pumping water for month of January ..		100.00
31.	J. C. Colcord:		
	Services as water com- missioner for 1918 .	\$15.00	
	2 days reading meters	8.00	
	Collecting water bills.	10.00	
	Stationery and postage	1.05	
		<u></u>	34.05
			<u>\$1,570.90</u>

CASH RECEIVED FROM WATER TAKERS.

For year ending January 31, 1919.

1918.			
Feb. 25.	To received from water takers	\$230.61	
Mar. 30.	To received from water takers	48.27	
Apr. 27.	To receipts from water takers	131.47	
July 27.	To received from water takers	412.36	
Aug. 9.	To received from water takers	368.56	
Nov. 30.	To received from water takers	95.00	
1919.			
Jan. 30.	To received from water takers	771.46	
31.	To received from water takers	164.39	
	Received of Raymond Electric Co.:		
	For 2 lbs. packing	1.36	
	For 1 brass union and nipple ..	1.75	
		<u></u>	\$2,225.23

CASH PAID TREASURER.

Feb. 25.	By cash paid treasurer	\$230.61
Mar. 30.	By cash paid treasurer	48.27
Apr. 27.	By cash paid treasurer	131.47
July 27.	By cash paid treasurer	412.36
Aug. 9.	By cash paid treasurer	368.56
Nov. 30.	By cash paid treasurer	95.00
1919.		
Jan. 30.	By cash paid treasurer	771.46
31.	By cash paid treasurer	167.50
		\$2,225.23

BALANCE SHEET OF WATER SYSTEM.

DR.

Value of system, January 31, 1918	\$40,364.72
Running expenses	1,423.55
Repairs on system	144.10
Interest on valuation	1,614.59
Balance	602.99
	\$44,149.95

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Value of system, January 31, 1919	\$40,364.72
Hydrant rental	1,200.00
Public use of water	150.00
Collected from water takers	2,225.23
Water bills uncollected	210.00
	\$44,149.95

J. C. COLCORD,
J. WESLEY DODGE,

Water Commissioners.

We, the undersigned, auditors for the town of Raymond, N. H., have examined the accounts of the water commissioners for the year ending January 31, 1919, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HORACE L. WHITTIER,
CHARLES W. SCRIBNER.

Auditors.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

Received from licenses on dogs for the year
ending May 1, 1919, as follows:

47 male dogs at \$2.00	\$94.00
14 female dogs at \$5.00	70.00
	\$164.00
Reserved for fee	12.20
Paid town treasurer	\$151.80

GEO. W. PURINTON,

Town Clerk.

Births Registered in the Town of Raymond, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1918.

Date	Name of Child	Sex	No. of Child	Living or Stillborn	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 21	Leona Francis..	F	3	L	Phillip J. Castor.....	Maud Lettney.....	Highgate, Vt.....	Boston, Mass.
26	Eva Lorena.....	F	1	L	Herbert H. Hartford.....	Enna M. Davis.....	Epsom.....	Epping
30	Ruth Todd.....	F	3	L	Arthur A. Ball.....	Blanche M. Fisk.....	Fremont.....	Raymond
Feb. 13	Francis May.....	F	2	L	Will P. Allen.....	Edna D. Barnes.....	St. John, N. B.....	England
22	Bertha Elizabeth.....	F	1	L	Isaac B. Grout.....	Sylvia V. Watkins.....	Raymond.....	Sandown
Mar. 12	Marjorie Loretta.....	F	3	L	Wicks Macmanus.....	Eva Counter.....	Greece.....	Raymond
12	Albert Thomas.....	M	5	L	Thomas Berry.....	Annie Hackings.....	Troy, Me.....	Stoneham, Mass.
16	George Leonard.....	M	1	L	George L. Brown.....	Clara Fitts.....	Raymond.....	Canterbury
31	Leon Allen.....	M	1	L	William Simard.....	Eleona Stackhouse.....	.....	Stoneham, Mass.
Apr. 17	William Frank.....	M	1	L	John L. Barnes.....	Flossie E. Guyette.....	Cornish.....	Hyde Park, Vt.
May 20	Harold Leroy.....	M	4	L	Ralph W. Rogers.....	Rose A. Brown.....	Bangor, Me.....	Fremont
June 19	Harry Arthur.....	M	3	L	Fred B. Dearborn.....	Cora M. Trickey.....	Epping.....	Epping
21	George Frank.....	M	4	L	Edward O. Wallace.....	Cyldia H. Eaton.....	Raymond.....	Raymond
July 25	.....	M	2	L	John E. Strickland.....	Florence M. Young.....	Epping.....	Raymond
Aug. 4	Roscoe Elmer.....	M	1	L	Frank E. Sherman.....	Elzire D. McDonald.....	Washington.....	Belmont
28	Chester Eugene.....	M	4	L	Emile R. Dawson.....	Julia H. Sweet.....	Pawtucket, R. I.....	East Providence, R. I.
Sept. 5	Nellie Betsey.....	F	8	L	Ezra P. Wagon.....	Alice M. Littlefield.....	Manchester.....	Raymond
10	Vivian Agatha.....	F	1	L	Frank L. Harvey.....	Velma Smith.....	Hampton.....	Deerfield
Oct. 18	Richard Carroll.....	M	9	L	George Faskies.....	Ivemia Porter.....	Newport, N. S.....	Windsor, N. S.
Nov. 7	Dorothy George.....	F	2	L	John W. Roberts.....	Annie G. Fitts.....	Marcedonia.....	Marcedonia
27	Herbert Lenard.....	M	1	L	.....	Beulah Smart.....	Raymond.....	Raymond

Marriages Registered in the Town of Raymond, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1918.

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	No. of Marriage	Age	Place of Birth	Name of Parents	Name, Official Station and Residence of Person by whom Married
March 30	Raymond.....	Elmer J. Strickland.....	1	33	Washington	Chester C. Strickland.....	Rev. E. W. Pond
		Elzier McDonald.....	1	18	Belmont.....	Edward McDonald.....	Raymond
April 1	Raymond.....	Edward Guy Robie.....	1	27	Raymond.....	Josephine Fraiser.....	Rev. Cecil D. Mead
		Gladys L. Langford.....	1	22	East Candia.....	Edward J. Robie.....	Raymond
June 30	Raymond.....	Harry J. Tilton.....	1	41	Raymond.....	Nellie M. Dearborn.....	Rev. E. W. Pond
		Edith L. Bartlett.....	1	37	Epping.....	Calvin H. Langford.....	Raymond
July 9	Exeter.....	Perley E. Mann.....	1	27	Braintree, Vt.....	Myrtie L. Morrill.....	Rev. E. W. Pond
		Bessie E. Letney.....	1	16	Cambridge, Mass.....	Bartlett O. Tilton.....	Raymond
Aug. 15	East Rochester.....	George H. Rolfe.....	1	20	Bridgeton, Me.....	Violet F. Smith.....	Rev. E. W. Pond
		Pauline Fiske.....	1	20	Raymond.....	Jonathan Bartlett.....	Raymond
Aug. 17	Raymond.....	Willis L. Quimby.....	1	34	East Rochester.....	Sarah Ordway.....	Rev. L. E. Lacy
		Gladys Fiske.....	1	25	Raymond.....	Charles W. Mann.....	Exeter
Aug. 27	Raymond.....	Harry F. Brown.....	1	25	Raymond.....	Adeline C. Fox.....	Rev. J. R. Dinsmore
		Nellie M. Guptill.....	1	21	Raymond.....	Harry C. Letney.....	East Rochester
Dec. 7	Laconia.....	Harry E. Kelley.....	2	33	Troy, Vt.....	Isabella.....	Rev. C. D. Meade
		Dorothy I. Ford.....	3	34	Dover.....	Harry Relfe.....	Raymond
						Annie Hanson.....	Rev. C. D. Meade
						Mark Fiske.....	Raymond
						Nellie F. Malone.....	Raymond
						Larkin Quimby.....	Raymond
						Sophia Greenwood.....	Raymond
						Mark Fiske.....	Raymond
						Nellie F. Malone.....	Raymond
						Charles H. Brown.....	Raymond
						Josephine M. Umpleby ..	Raymond
						George H. Guptill.....	Raymond
						Lizzie C. True.....	Raymond
						Truman Kelley.....	Raymond
						Maria Kelley.....	Raymond
						Edward Butcher.....	Raymond
						Lydia A. Bardeen.....	Raymond
							Rev. Howard H. White
							Laconia

Deaths Registered in the Town of Raymond, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1918.

Date	Name of Deceased	Age			Place of Death	Place of Interment	Cause of Death.
		Years	Months	Days			
Feb.	22 William P. French.....	73	3	12	Fremont.....	Raymond.....	Cerebral Hemorrhage
March	8 Benjamin F. Davis.....	72	1	19	Raymond.....	"	Hemiplegia
	16 Jay P. Brown.....	87	11	14	Raymond.....	"	Asthenia
April	9 Eva Lerena Hartford.....	..	2	13	Epping.....	"	Meinigitis
	22 Jennie M. Stackhouse.....	17	..	13	Raymond.....	"	Pulmonary Tuberculosis
	30 William E. Hill.....	72	11	27	Deerfield.....	"	Valvular Disease of Heart
June	28 Wm. P. Allen.....	36	5	25	Raymond.....	"	Colitis
July	3 Fannie L. Gove.....	46	6	1	"	"	Carcenoma of Breast
Aug.	3 Sarah A. McClure.....	87	2	28	"	"	Cerebral Sclerosis
	18 Thomas M. Burnham.....	..	..	6	"	"	Marasmus
Sept.	5 Bertha Agnes Johnson.....	..	..	2	Epping.....	"	Premature Birth
	18 Beulah May Johnson.....	..	..	15	Epping.....	"	Premature Birth
	22 Minnie A. Sanborn.....	29	3	5	Raymond.....	"	Pulmonary Edema
	29 Bertha F. Sias.....	31	8	..	"	"	Fibroid Phthisis
Oct.	5 Harry Arthur Rogers.....	3	3	15	"	"	Cholera Infantum
	7 Ethel Johnson Elliott.....	28	6	11	"	"	Pneumonia
	7 Telfy Brusso.....	34	5	1	"	"	Pneumonia
	8 Clarence O. Healey.....	49	7	7	"	"	Pneumonia
	11 Hazel I. Hartford.....	3	7	5	"	"	Influenza
	18 Harry A. White.....	89	9	6	"	"	Pneumonia
	23 George C. Prescott.....	71	4	8	"	"	Obstruction of Bowels
Nov.	11 Lewis Wallace.....	69	7	23	"	Epping.....	Cerebral Sclerosis
	15 Arthur L. Fogg.....	33	9	2	"	Farmington, Me.	Influenza
	30 Martha S. Welch.....	74	10	19	"	Raymond.....	Asthenia
	17 Hellen V. Bond.....	79	1	25	"	East Derry.....	Asthenia
Dec.	28 Elbridge B. Greenleaf.....	57	2	21	"	Raymond.....	Angina Pectoris

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT.

For the Fiscal Year Ending August 31, 1918.

(Laws 1917, Chapter 122.)

Includes Period from March 1, 1917, to Sept. 1, 1917.

REVENUE, EXPENSE AND OUTLAY.

General Fund Accounts.

Current Revenue:

From State:

Literary Fund	\$135.36	
From state treasurer for district superintendent.....	237.50	
Under Chapter 158, Laws 1909, for support of schools.	382.50	
		\$754.36

Town Tax for Schools:

Amount assessed for books and supplies	\$400.00	
Amount assessed for flags, etc.	10.00	
Amount assessed for salaries and expenses of district officers	100.00	
		510.00

School District Tax..... \$4,990.00

(Includes annual town tax required by law)

Additional amount raised to cover expenses from March 1, 1917, to Sept. 1, 1917... 3,500.00

8,490.00

Dog licenses 137.40

Received from benefit entertainments..... 124.50

Total Current Revenue..... \$10,017.56

General Fund, cash on hand Feb. 15, 1917..	\$764.38
	\$10,781.94
Deficit for year 1917-1918.....	1,554.13
Grand total	\$12,336.07

Ordinary Current Expenses.

Administration:

1. Salaries of School Board	\$117.50	
2. Salary of District Treasurer (1½ years).....	30.00	
3. Superintendent's salary..	665.00	
4. Truant officer's salary, cost of enumeration, expenses of School Board	55.15	
		\$867.65

Instruction:

5. Principal's and regular teacher's salaries	\$5,649.61	
6. High school and academy tuition (1916-1917)..	99.33	
7. Textbooks and school supplies	1,029.42	
8. Salary manual training teacher	75.00	
9. Printing	6.75	
		6,860.11

Operation, Maintenance of School Plant:

10. Janitor service	\$492.00	
11. Fuel	156.21	
12. Light and power.....	33.86	
13. Minor repair of buildings, upkeep of grounds....	45.81	
14. Repair and replacement of equipment	37.53	
		765.41

Auxiliary Agencies and Special
Activities:

15. Transportation of pupils.....	\$2,897.90
Fixed Charges:	
16. Insurance	\$154.00
17. Expenses at Masonic Hall, Spring 1917....	6.00
	160.00
Extraordinary Outlay for Construction and Equipment:	
18. Payments of interest on loans and bonds	785.00
Total Expenses and Outlay for All Pur- poses	\$12,336.07
Grand total	\$12,336.07

BALANCE

ASSETS AUGUST 31, 1918.

Cash on hand:

Accounts due to district:

From town:

On books and supplies to replace loss by fire and not yet assessed (bills not yet paid)	\$616.13
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Balance on books and supplies over ap- propriation of \$400 (1917) (bills already paid)	629.42
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Expenses of litigation.....	833.45
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Expenses of plumbing, Whittier bldg.	47.28
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Expenses of apparatus to replace loss loss by fire	30.00
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From others:

School District of Candia, N. H., high school tuition	40.00
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Received from N. H. Fire Insurance Co.	2,000.00
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Received from Granite Fire Insurance Co.	1,000.00
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Received from The Phoenix Fire Insur- ance Co.	1,000.00
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Received from N. H. Fire Insurance Co.	75.00
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Received from sale of cement.....	21.20
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Received from sale of cement (bags)....	51.90
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Total assets	\$7,129.38
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Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)...	24,492.05
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Grand total	\$31,621.43
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SHEET.

LIABILITIES, AUGUST 31, 1918.

Accounts owed by district:

Books and supplies (replacement).....	\$616.13
New building, miscellaneous.....	116.75
New equipment	127.25
Fuel	103.70
School district Candia, elementary tuition.	44.85
New apparatus	30.00
Building supplies	11.25
Unclassified expenses	15.40

Notes Outstanding:

Amoskeag National Bank, November 1...	4,000.00
Amoskeag National Bank, November 29, 1917	4,000.00
Amoskeag National Bank, December 28, 1917	2,000.00
Amoskeag National Bank, February 21, 1918	4,000.00
P. B. Corson, May 3, 1918.....	800.00
E. T. Brown.....	100.00
William B. Gile (Town Hall).....	2,000.00
E. T. Brown, November 20, 1915.....	3,000.00
E. T. Brown, February 5, 1916.....	2,500.00
Bonds outstanding, Nos. 1-75.....	3,750.00
Deficit on loan fund account.....	2,851.97
Deficit on general fund account.....	1,554.13

Total liabilities \$31,621.43

Grand total \$31,621.43

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FROM FUNDS
NOTES FOR CONSTRUCTION
LOAN FUND

Receipts.

Notes Issued During Year:

Amoskeag National Bank.....	\$14,000.00
P. B. Corson.....	800.00
E. T. Brown.....	100.00

Bonds Issued During Year:

Nos. 36-75	2,000.00
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Total receipts from all sources.....	\$16,900.00
Deficit at end of year.....	2,851.97

Grand total \$19,751.97

CREATED BY THE ISSUE OF BONDS AND AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT.

ACCOUNTS.

Payments.

New Buildings and Sites:

Sherburne Gove, contractor.....	\$14,463.62
C. R. Whitcher, architect.....	625.70
D. W. Bowers, piping in water.....	121.87
J. H. Stevens, testing radiation.....	25.00
Stephen K. Batchelder, land.....	1,200.00
Cement and freight.....	435.96

\$16,872.15

U. S. tax on note of \$2,000... \$0.40

J. R. Reuter & Co., printing
bonds 62.50

62.90

Equipment:

Empire Seating Co.....	\$727.20
Readsboro Chair Co.....	315.90

1,043.10

Clearing land, grading, digging, installing
furnaces, plumbing, labor..... 691.22

Freight 6.67

Expenses of moving domestic science house 195.20

Whittier building, steam fitting, repairs... 47.28

Expenditures due to litigation:

J. T. Bartlett, attorney..... \$318.40

J. W. Pringle, witness fee... 2.90

E. W. Smith, dinners..... 8.00

J. J. Brown, rent of I. O. O. F.
hall 19.00

Alice Craig, stenographer.... 58.45

Fees of county commissioners.. 135.15

Harold E. Mason, traveling and
expenses 30.00

Mildred deMoulpied, expenses 10.60

Atty-Gen'l Tuttle, fee..... 228.25

Marion E. Stark, fee and car
fare 6.20

F. J. Welch, Miss Stark's trav-
eling expenses 16.50

833.45

Total payments for all purposes..... \$19,751.97

Grand total \$19,751.97

HARRY A. WHITE.

Harry White was born January 12, 1879, and died October 18, 1918. On the morning of the eighteenth of last October the town of Raymond was stirred deeply upon hearing of the death of its greatest public spirited citizen, Harry White.

Mr. White had secured a great place in the hearts of the people of Raymond and his sudden demise affected the town to a considerable degree. Mr. White spent all of his grammar school days attending the public schools of Raymond, and upon finishing them felt the need of further education. He went to Sanborn Seminary at Kingston and finished his education there. It was here in this school that Mr. White acquired a love for the very best things in the educational line and came back to his native town with the high resolve to give to Raymond his point of view.

When he was elected to the school board of Raymond his dreams for higher education became a reality. After he was elected he started a campaign to place a high school in Raymond, and after a vote was taken by the townspeople the school was secured. But hardly had the high school become a reality when the building was burned and once more a great work had to be done. Following considerable agitation and hard work a new site was secured and after many months of waiting the new school building was completed, where it stands today, a monument to the ideals of Mr. White.

Mr. White had a very pleasing personality that greatly established him in the hearts of the school children and teachers. When he passed away the school children lost their very best friend. His thoughts were for them at all times. It was for the best interests of education that he devoted the last six years of his life.

It will be many a year before the town of Raymond ever again elects to the school board a man so wholly public

spirited, a man who will think little of his own interests, and so much of the interests of others.

E. W. SMITH,
C. D. MEADE,
L. O. POLLARD,

School Board.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the School Board and the Citizens of Raymond, N. H.:

The honor falls on me to submit herewith my sixth annual report and the twelfth in the series of the reports of the district superintendents.

The administration of the public schools during the past year has been exceedingly difficult. School boards and superintendents have found it almost impossible to secure and to retain competent teachers, to meet the constantly increasing cost of paper, books, necessary apparatus and supplies, and to get requisite repairs made when labor has been so scarce and its wages so high.

The desertion of the teaching profession by so many of the best teachers and the marked decrease of those now in preparation are alarming signs to those who realize that no free people can endure without free educational facilities. In many towns and cities schools have been closed because of inability to secure teachers, although substantial increases in salaries have been offered. In addition the dread scourge of influenza has been among us. Some of our best citizens as you know well have been taken from us; others have suffered prolonged illness and weakness; our teaching staff has not escaped. The schools have suffered severely from the influenza, poor attendance, interrupted studies and the necessary curtailment of much of the usual requirement. Several changes in the teaching corps have been made in the elementary grades and naturally these grades have suffered;

the illness of some of the teachers has also made inroads into the expected achievements of the year.

In spite of these obstacles the schools have continued in session except for the five weeks lost because of influenza, and the classes are forging ahead with their work; unless further losses are sustained and something unforeseen intervenes the standard requirement of the year can be completed by the last of June.

Since the last report was issued there have occurred several notable events that should always remain as landmarks in the history of the local schools and community. Great credit is due to the citizens for their support and co-operation and to the officials of the school district for their intelligent direction and for what has been already achieved.

The dedication of the new combination building was the consummation of hopes long delayed. A modern structure fitted for the needs of all the pupils of the town, equipped with the best heating, lighting and ventilating devices, and situated in an unrivalled location commanding a fine view of river, hills and village and away from the distracting influences of the streets and stores, affording spacious accommodation for the development of playgrounds, gardens, athletic fields, agricultural, recreational and vocational activities, was on the day of dedication given over to the people of Raymond, and to their sons and daughters, that it might become a constant object of pride and an inspiration for future attainment.

Last June the first high school graduation ever held in Raymond took place. Three young men and one young lady were graduated from the Senior High school, prepared to enter college or other higher institution if they so desired. The State Superintendent, who delivered the address on that occasion, paid high tribute to the community and its attitude toward its schools.

The year 1917-18 marked the completion of the high school development by the extension of the program through the twelfth year of school life. In September five curricula were

offered the pupils. Every detail of these curricula has been inspected and approved by the State Department of Public Instruction. Raymond, in the most recent report, was rated as one of fifteen A-6 secondary schools of the state. This means much to the town, to the parents and to the pupils.

Raymond has a school system which provides at comparatively small outlay many educational facilities; in this system a reasonably high level of scholarship is now maintained. As our system has kept pace with developments elsewhere and has put into effect what has been regarded the best of modern educational procedure, little change or alteration will be necessary for the next five years. Improvement and extension of the departments now established is the work we have before us. As most of the courses have had equipment provided, and the replacement of losses by fire has been nearly completed, expenditures in these directions will not be nearly as great.

The growth and the development of the various branches of the Junior and the Senior High schools are outstanding features of the school year; much has been accomplished whether the measure be quantity or quality. Some of the new courses offered this year are Spanish, solid geometry, trigonometry, the history of civilization, political economy, business law and practise, nursing, care of infants, the aged and the sick, advanced physiology, dietetics, first aid, etc.

Both rooms of the Pecker school building have been utilized—one as a room for woodworking, the other as a hall for the "Victory Girls!" The woodworking department has been under the charge of Rev. E. W. Pond since the opening of the school year. A visit to this room when the boys are at work will interest you and afford proof of the value of this training. Later in the year an exhibit of the products of this department and the domestic arts department will be made.

Not the least valuable part of this year's work have been the results of methods applied to eliminate deficiencies in the

"Three R's" from among the high school pupils. Personal work with the individual pupil or with groups of pupils has been increasingly persistent. A constant testing-out process of the pupil's efficiency in essentials has been kept up. Here is seen the Junior High school idea at its best.

The progress of elementary pupils through their grades is watched very closely by teacher and superintendent. When the many obstacles that have been put in the way of attaining excellence are given consideration, conditions appear quite satisfactory.

In the last report a discussion of the subject of war gardens appeared. In the spring 106 pupils registered as members of the New Hampshire Junior Food Producers. Of this number 65 cultivated gardens and reported the amount of crops raised. The valuation of these crops (based on the wholesale price list printed in the *Boston Herald* of Nov. 26, 1918) was found to be \$1,769.56, and these figures were reported to the State Department. In the fall an exhibit of garden products raised in these gardens was held in each of the rooms. The quantity and the quality of these exhibits proved that some loyal work had been done for Uncle Sam and that the appeal of the national government had not fallen on unpatriotic ears. As the need for next winter will be as great if not greater, this state organization of Junior Food Producers has been merged into a great national organization known as the U. S. School Garden Army. This body is under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior and the Bureau of Education and is organized on the same principle as our national army now in France. This spring the State Department will endeavor to enroll 50,000 soldiers for next summer's drive and to obtain a harvest valued at \$250,000. As there is no more patriotic service a boy or girl can render their country than this, parents are urged to give especial attention to encouraging the work. Badges will be given to the young farmers and the officers will be awarded

insignia. It is hoped that some form of supervision will be afforded this summer.

Last year's report on the subject of medical inspection will bear re-reading. Surely some good plan, not of necessity expensive, for safeguarding and inspecting the health of school children should be put into effect. At the present time the State Board of Charities and Correction and the State Department of Public Education are collecting data concerning the feeble-minded and neglected pupils. From this may come more intelligent and wiser treatment of these children, and a relief to those who are trying to solve a difficult problem in popular education.

While the superintendent recognizes the wisdom and the necessity of curtailing expenditure wherever possible, he can not but refrain from pointing out a few things that should be done, since it is not economy to neglect them; another layer of cement should be placed on the basement floor of the new building so as to prevent the dust from filtering up through the cracks; a chemistry and physics table should be constructed for the laboratory; the front of the domestic arts building should be painted; electric bells between the several rooms should be installed; a comprehensive plan for laying out playgrounds and athletic fields on the school land should be drawn up, adopted and a start made in putting into effect at least a portion of the plan. By proper co-operation of citizens and school authorities many expenses may be unnecessary or at least much reduced.

Your thoughtful attention is called to the usual statistical tables, the roll of honor, the war activities, the requirements for admission to the Junior High school, the five curricula and a brief explanation of the several courses pursued. Parents and pupils are requested to keep this report for reference.

I desire to give expression here to my sincere appreciation of the assistance and the strong support of the board, of the intelligent and loyal work of the teachers and of the hearty

co-operation of citizens and parents who must realize the difficulties the school officials have faced in the past two years.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT T. LANE.

SCHOOL ORGANIZATION.

SCHOOL BOARD—E. W. Smith, chairman; Lewis O. Pollard; Rev. C. D. Meade, secretary.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS—Albert T. Lane, Colby College, A.B. 1895, A.M. 1901; Harvard University, Courses in Education, 1909. Address, Epping, N. H., Box 243. Tel., Epping.

STAFF OF TEACHERS, 1918-1919.

SCHOOLS.	TEACHERS.	EDUCATION.	DEPARTMENT.
Senior High (Secondary Grades, V and VI)	Jennie H. Cove, Head Mistress.	Radcliffe Coll., A.B., 1915.	Latin, French, Spanish, U. S. History.
and Junior High (Secondary Grades, I, II, III, IV)	Margaret Walker.	Simmons Coll., B.S., 1917.	Domestic Arts, Chemistry, Eng- lish, Elem. Science.
	Helen M. Bugbee.	New Hampshire College, A.B., 1918.	Mathematics, Hist. of Civiliza- tion, Bookkeeping, English, Pol. Economy and Business Practices.
	Rev. E. W. Pond.	Dartmouth, A.B., 1891; Yale, B.D., 1896; Harvard Post- graduate courses.	Manual Arts.
	Miss I. J. Trefethen.		B. & C. Subjects, Jun. High Arithmetic, etc.
Grammar (Elementary Grades, V and VI)	Mrs. Paul Lewis.	Oshkosh, Wis., Normal School, '13.	Grammar subjects.
Intermediate (Elementary Grades, III and IV)	Irene J. Trefethen.		Elem. subjects, music of inter- mediate grades and primary.
Primary (Elementary Grades, I and II)	Harriet O. Healey.	N. H. State Certif., Keene Normal, summer courses, 1916, 1918.	Elem. subjects, drawing of the intermediate and primary grades.

STATISTICAL TABLE FOR THE YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31, 1918.

SCHOOLS.	TEACHERS.	EDUCATION AND TRAINING.		Boys.	Girls.	Average Membership.	Average Daily Attendance.	Average Daily Absence.	Percentage of Attendance.	No. Cases of Tardiness.	Pup. Not Ab. or Tardy.	Visits of School Board.	Visits of Superintendent.	Visits of Others.	Non-Resident Pupils.
Senior High Secondary Grades, V, VI and Junior High Secondary Grades, I, II, III	IV W. G. Park, Headm'r Wesleyan Univ. Jennie H. Cove.....Radcliffe College, 1915. Margaret Walker...Simmons College, 1917. I, David J. Baker..... Mrs. H. F. Gorman. Bridgewater Normal, '16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grammar and VI Intermediate Elementary Grades, III and IV	V Mrs. H. F. Gorman. Bridgewater Normal, '16 Lowell Normal, 1913. Mildred deMouplied. Wheaton Coll., 2 yrs.; Nina F. Sturtevant.. North Adams Normal.	42	20	22	20	41.58	38.30	3.28	91.88	33	1	3	37	59	..
Primary Elementary Grades, I and II	Harriett O. Healey...Keene Normal, Summer Courses 1916; N. H. State Certificate.....	38	21	17	17	33.71	29.81	3.90	88.42	94	1	3	36	90	..
Totals		170	85	85	85	150.28	138.11	12.17	91.9	267	7	12	146	255	1

ROLL OF HONOR.

PUPILS WHO HAVE NOT BEEN ABSENT OR TARDY FOR THE
YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31, 1919.

High Schools—Lloyd Brown, Eldon Houle, Richard McGall,
Kenneth Pond, Luther Wason.

Grammar School—George Guptill.

Intermediate School—Edgar Smith.

Primary School—Archie Downing.

PUPILS WHO HAVE NOT BEEN ABSENT OR TARDY FOR
TWO TERMS OF THE YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31, 1919.

High Schools—Alfred Bunker, Everett Tuttle, Henry Worm-
wood, Annie Hammond, Theodore Rollins, Priscilla San-
born, Pearl Smith, Hildegard Shepard, Dorothy Blake.

Grammar School—Olive Baker, Doris Cross, Harold Houle,
Walter Purinton, Ellery Raymond, Norma Shepard.

Intermediate School—Edwin Gove, Louis Griffin, Ella May
Porter, Carrie York.

Primary School—Doris Clement.

PUPILS WHO HAVE NOT BEEN ABSENT OR TARDY FOR
ONE TERM FOR THE YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31, 1919.

High Schools—Dorothy Berry, Gertrude Brackett, Carlton
Kinder, Edna Littlefield, Flossie Robbins, Hazel Robbins,
Carroll Savage.

Grammar School—Wilmer Baker, Claude Berry, Pearl Den-
you, Rubie Folsom, Ray Gordon, Marion Maynard, Elsie
Pond, Nellie Stacy, Louie Wormwood, Newell Wormwood.

Intermediate School—Reginald Houle, Albert McGall, Amy
Raymond, Retenah Smart, Agnes Stevens.

Primary School—Albion Cross, Jean Golden, Blanche Guy-
ette, Nora Guyette, Burgess Robinson, Klora Waugh, Mil-
dred Welch, Edwin West.

PROJECTS COMPLETED BY MANUAL ARTS DEPARTMENT SINCE SEPTEMBER 1, 1918.

Broomracks, candlesticks, breadboards, bookracks, book-cases, seed boxes, folding card tables, plant stands, etc.

THE WAR ACTIVITIES OF THE RAYMOND PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Liberty Bonds owned by Pupils and Teachers:

Raymond High, \$1,250; Grammar, \$650; Intermediate, \$400; Primary, \$250; Total, \$2,550.

THE WAR SAVING SOCIETIES.

True Blue War Saving Society:

President, Pearl Guptill; Secretary, Lillian Harvey; 35 members; amount W. S. S. since September 1, \$386.25.

Piskasset War Saving Society:

President, Cora Brown; Secretary, Dorothy Dearborn; 28 members; amount W. S. S., \$244.25.

Uncle Sam's Club War Saving Society:

President, Roger Elliott; Secretary, Doris Clement; 18 members; amount W. S. S., \$139.75.

Onway War Saving Society:

President, Alfred Gosselin; Secretary, Burgess Robinson; 14 members; amount W. S. S., \$84.25.

Totals for all schools:

Membership, 95; amount W. S. S., \$854.50.

THE AMERICAN RED CROSS.

No. members in High Schools, 6; No. members in elementary grades, 7; total membership, 13. Amount of subscriptions, \$13.

THE UNITED WAR WORKERS' CAMPAIGN.

High schools:

The "Victory Boys," \$54.50; The "Victory Girls," \$96.00.

THE WAR CHILDREN'S RELIEF FUND.

Elementary schools, \$7.65.

THE ARMENIAN AND SYRIAN RELIEF FUND.

Intermediate School, \$1.

THE UNITED STATES SCHOOL GARDEN ARMY.

High Schools—Division 1—

Captain Elden Houle, First Lieutenant Theodore Rollins, Second Lieutenant John Tilton. No. privates, 27.

Grammar School, Division 2—

Captain Cora Brown, First Lieutenant Louie Wormwood, Second Lieutenant Dorothy Dearborn. No. privates, 21.

Intermediate School, Division 3—

Captain Doris Clement, First Lieutenant Kloria Waugh, Second Lieutenant Fred Counter. No. privates, 22.

Primary School, Division 4—

Captain Margery Pollard, First Lieutenant Marguerite Elliott, Second Lieutenant Lionel Dearborn. No. privates, 7.

Total membership enrolled, 89.

Total number of gardens during summer of 1918, 65.

Total value of crops reported for season of 1918, \$1,769.56.

The domestic arts department has at present on hand some Red Cross work and has done work in the past.

The schools also took part in the sale of Christmas seals, in the Junior Four-Minute Men speeches, and wrote letters to aid the sale of W. S. S.

PROGRAM OF RAYMOND SENIOR AND JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS, RAYMOND, N. H. 1918-19.

Year.	CURRICULUM I. Units Required 24. ACADEMIC-CLASSICAL.			CURRICULUM II. Units Required 24. ACADEMIC-DOMESTIC ARTS.			CURRICULUM III. Units Required 24. LIBERAL-DOMESTIC ARTS.			CURRICULUM IV. Units Required 24. BUSINESS-GIRLS.			CURRICULUM V. Units Required 24. BUSINESS-BOYS.		
	Boys and Girls.	Days per week.	Periods per week.	Girls.	Days per week.	Periods per week.	Girls.	Days per week.	Periods per week.		Days per week.	Periods per week.		Days per week.	Periods per week.
I	History and Civics	5	5	As in CURRICULUM I.			As in CURRICULUM I.			As in CURRICULUM I.			As in CURRICULUM I.		
	French	5	5												
	Mathematics—Rev. Arith. and Conc. Geometry	5	5												
II	Elementary Science	3	3	As in CURRICULUM I.			As in CURRICULUM I.			As in CURRICULUM I.			As in CURRICULUM I.		
	Manual Training (boys) or Cooking and Sewing (girls)	2-3	4-6												
	B. Drawing, music, current events, plays, gardens, composition, debates, hygiene	5	10 (½ per.)												
III	C. Literature			As in CURRICULUM I.			As in CURRICULUM I.			As in CURRICULUM I.			As in CURRICULUM I.		
	History and Civics	5	5												
	French	5	5												
IV	Mathematics—Elem. Algebra	5	5	English	5	5	English	5	5	English	5	5	English	5	5
	Elementary Science	3	3	French	5	5	French	5	5	French	5	5	French	5	5
	Manual Train. (boys) or Cooking and Sewing (girls)	2-3	4-6	Latin	5	5	History of Civilization	5	5	Bookkeeping, Typewriting, Spelling, Com'l Arith., Business Correspondence, handwriting	5	8	Bookkeeping, Com'l Arith., Typewriting, Spelling, Business Correspondence	5	3
V	B & C Subjects	5	10	Household Appliances	5	7	Household Appliances	5	7	B and C Subjects	5	10	History of Civilization	5	5
	English	5	5	B and C Subjects	5	10	B and C Subjects	5	10	B and C Subjects	5	10	B and C Subjects	5	10
	French	5	5	English	5	5	English	5	5	English	5	5	English	5	5
VI	Latin	5	5	French	5	5	French	5	5	French	5	5	French	5	5
	Physics	5	7	Latin	5	5	The Common Sciences	5	5	Com'l Geography and History	5	5	Com'l Geography and History	5	5
	B and C Subjects	5	10	Nursing and Physiology	5	10	Nursing and Physiology	5	10	Nursing and Physiology	5	10	Physics	5	7
VII	English	5	5	B and C Subjects	5	10	B and C Subjects	5	10	B and C Subjects	5	10	B and C Subjects	5	10
	Latin	5	5	English	5	5	English	5	5	English	5	5	English	5	5
	Algebra and Geometry	5	5	Latin	5	5	Latin	5	5	Latin	5	5	Latin	5	5
VIII	Chemistry	5	7	Algebra and Geometry	5	5	Algebra and Geometry	5	5	Algebra and Geometry	5	5	Algebra and Geometry	5	5
	Constitutional History of the United States	5	5	Household Organization	5	5	Household Organization	5	5	Household Organization	5	5	Household Organization	5	5
	Latin	5	5	Constitutional History of the United States	5	5	Constitutional History of the United States	5	5	Constitutional History of the United States	5	5	Constitutional History of the United States	5	5
IX	Senior Mathematics*	5	5	Latin	5	5	Latin	5	5	Latin	5	5	Latin	5	5
	Spanish*	5	5	Household Management	5	5	Household Management	5	5	Household Management	5	5	Household Management	5	5
	Economics and Business Practices*	5	5	Senior Mathematics*	5	5	Senior Mathematics*	5	5	Senior Mathematics*	5	5	Senior Mathematics*	5	5
X				Spanish*	5	5	Spanish*	5	5	Spanish*	5	5	Spanish*	5	5
				Economics and Business Practices*	5	5	Economics and Business Practices*	5	5	Economics and Business Practices*	5	5	Economics and Business Practices*	5	5

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